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Sir:

a.) Introductory Comments:

In response to the Office Action and our meeting date January 10, 2006, please amend this application as follows:

I withdraw claims 24, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32 33, 34, 35, 36, 38, 39 and 40.